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The Permanent Representative of the Republic of Latvia presents his compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and, with reference to Security Council resolutions 1054 (1996) of 26 April 1996 and 1070 (1996) of 16 August 1996, has the honour to report the following:

(a) The Republic of the Sudan has no diplomatic or consular representation in the Republic of Latvia and the Republic of Latvia has no diplomatic or consular representation in the Republic of the Sudan. Consequently, there was no need for any action to be taken by the Government of the Republic of Latvia for the implementation of paragraph 3 (a) of resolution 1054 (1996);

(b) As regards paragraph 3 (b) of resolution 1054 (1996), no request has been submitted as of today for granting permission to Sudanese officials to enter the Republic of Latvia;

(c) As to paragraph 3 of resolution 1070 (1996), the Republic of Latvia will deny aircraft permission to take off from, land in or overfly Latvian territory if the aircraft is registered in the Sudan, or owned, leased or operated by or on behalf of Sudan Airways or by any undertaking, wherever located or organized, which is substantially owned or controlled by Sudan Airways, or owned, leased or operated by the Government or public authorities of the Sudan or by any undertaking, wherever located or organized, which is substantially owned or controlled by the Government or public authorities of the Sudan.

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